TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 1597

February 19, 2009

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires all handgun carry permits issued by the Department of Safety (DOS) to be treated as confidential and not open for public inspection, unless the permit holder has given DOS permission to release such information.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - \$7,000/One-Time

Assumptions:

- This bill will not limit access to these records by law enforcement agencies, courts, or other governmental agencies performing official functions.
- According to DOS, changes will need to be made to two departmental systems to capture a permit holder's express consent for release of information. The one-time increase to state expenditures for the two system changes is estimated to be \$7,000.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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